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CHP TECHNOLOGY APPLIED TO LEACHATE MANAGEMENT



Outline

- The Technology
- Advantages
- Operating Characteristics





The Technology

Driving Forces

- Leachate costs on the rise because of trucking
- POTW costs on rise as city's balance budgets
- Some states requiring on site treatment
- Renewable energy projects using site gas make a direct LFG leachate project unlikely
- Limited site foot print
- Changing discharge standards



The Technology

- Continuous Evaporative Process
- Operates on Waste Heat
- Direct Heat Exchange No Heat Exchangers
- Operates at Mild Temperatures & Slight Vacuum
- Reduces Typical Leachate Volume by 95+%
- Simple to Install, Operate & Maintain



The Technology Combined Heat and Power

LM-HT[®] Leachate Concentrators <u>seamlessly</u> convert new or existing LFG power plants into CHP power projects





The Technology

Distilling A Challenge to Simple Elements

Key Design Elements

- Highly Insensitive to Feed Characteristics
- High Levels of Volume Reduction
- Minimal Analytical Support Required
- Can Recover Clean Water for Reuse
- Compatible With Zero Liquid Discharge





CFR Title 5 Subtitle D

Energy Independence and Security Act

Section 373

- Defines the requirements
- \$10.00 for each 3,412,000 Btu used
- \$10,000,000 each year in funding
- Requires 50% use of waste heat at source
- Must be used for different use



Given the Energy Independence and Security Act <u>is not funded</u> – here are a couple methods to make CHP work to maximize energy conservation even if it is never funded:

Use jacket water heat with heat exchanger loop to heat onsite buildings like shop and office

Use exhaust stack heat to treat leachate





Enhancing The Value of LFG

A case study from a landfill I ran for 20 years:

At 1,133 scfm of LFG there was 49.63 MM scf/month OR The equivalent of 24,800 MM Btu/month

WHILE

A 4-engine power plant rejected the equivalent of 6,950 MM Btu/month in stack gas to atmosphere WHICH

If put to use in an LM-HT[®] Concentrator could treat more than 500,000 gallons per month of leachate



Landfill Friendly Aspects

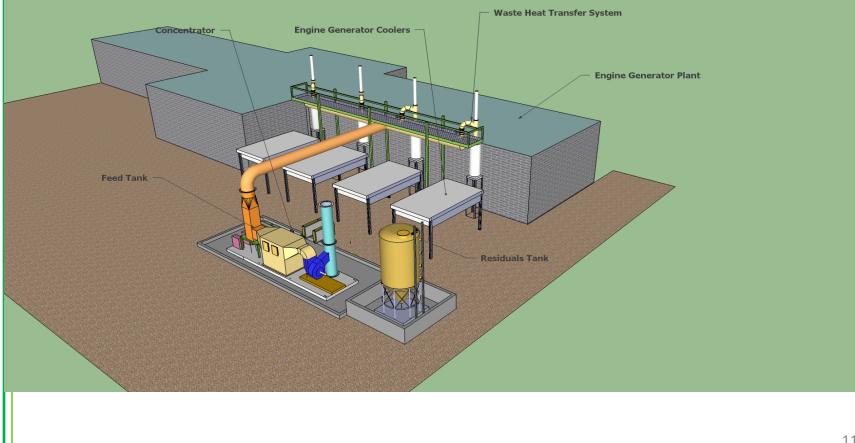
- Flexible use of waste heat as a fuel source
- Equipment paid for with capital not expense
- Small foot print
- Easy to install
- Eliminates trucking cost
- Zero liquid discharge





Operating Characteristics

Layout 3.2MW Landfill Gas Power Plant





Operating Characteristics

Energy Estimator

- Cat 3516 exhaust heat to process 4,200 gpd
- Cat 3520 exhaust heat to process 8,400 gpd
- Other 1 mega watt = 5,000 gpd
- Turbine = 10K gpd per mega watt
- 125 scfm natural gas = 10,000 gallon per day
- 250 scfm landfill gas = 10,000 gallon per day



Operating Characteristics

Cost Saving Features

- On site leachate treatment
- Waste heat from LFG to electric plants as fuel
- Eliminates hauling cost
- No off site costs
- One part-time Operator
- Solids put back in landfill
- Manages RO reject liquids



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TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS, LLC LM-HT[®] Concentrator¹ in Flex-Energy^{TM 2} Configuration

Automated Flare Cap¹

Clean Combustion Gas And Evaporated – Water Vapor Exhaust

> High Turbulence Collection Sump

Shown Connected to Flare

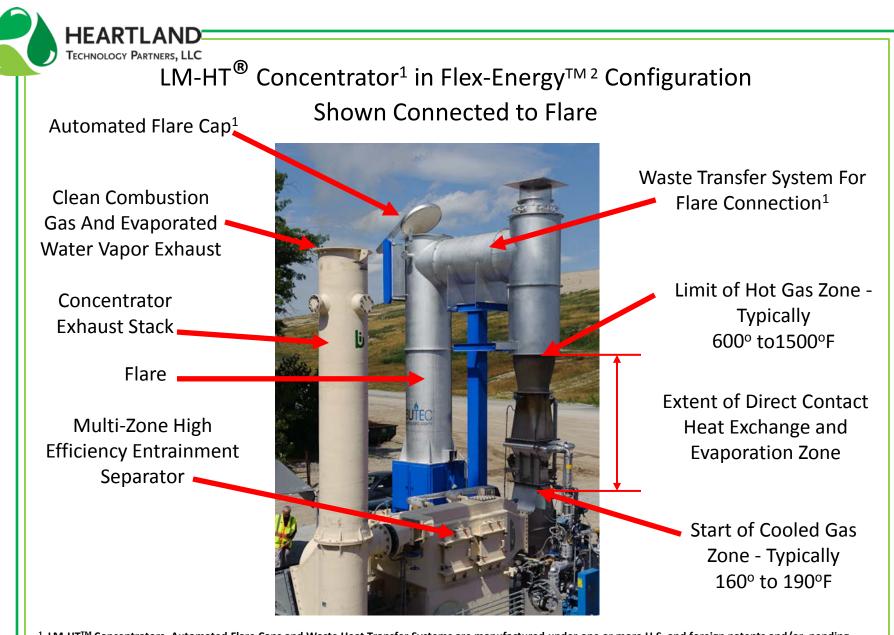
Limit of Hot Gas Zone -Typically 600° to1500°F

Extent of Direct Contact Heat Exchange and Evaporation Zone

> Start of Cooled Gas Zone - Typically 160° to 190°F

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LM-HT[™] Concentrator in FlexEnergy[™] Configuration Shown Connected to Power Plant



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Design Features

"Plug and Play" Configuration

Connect Power Drop to MCC

Compact Lightweight Design



Portable Process System Shown With Roll-Off Truck Compatible Skid

Factory Wired On Single Skid



Design Features

Minimum Process Fluid Holdup Low Momentum Feature (LM)



No Moving Internal Parts One Fan and One or Two Pumps High Alloy Parts Fabricated from Flat Stock



Minimal Amounts of High Alloy Required

High Turbulence Key to Managing Suspended Solids (HT)

Multiple Quick Opening Access Doors to Process



Excellent Corrosion and Erosion Resistance

Most All Maintenance Performed At Or Near Grade Level



20K GPD Unit – WMI's Turnkey Landfill



Utilizes ½ of Exhaust Gas from Centaur 40 Turbine



20K GPD Unit – South Canyon Landfill, Glenwood Springs, CO Septage Water Evaporation



Utilizes Thermal Energy from Burning C&D and Other Waste Wood